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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Application of: D. PLAKSIN

Confirmation No: 2778

Application No.: 09/858,349

Group Art Unit: 1639

Filed: May 15, 2001

Examiner: Teresa D. Wessendorf

For: SMALL FUNCTIONAL UNITS OF
ANTIBODY HEAVY CHAIN VARIABLE
REGIONS

Attorney Docket No.: 87534-2800

**NOTICE OF APPEAL FROM THE PRIMARY EXAMINER
TO THE BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES****Mail Stop AF**

Commissioner for Patents

P.O. Box 1450

Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:


Applicant hereby appeals to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the final office action mailed on May 17, 2005, of the Examiner's final rejection of claims 1-5, 9-10, 19, 34-37, 40 and 46-47 of the above-identified application.

The item(s) checked below are appropriate:

1. ☒ An extension of time for responding to the final rejection for three months is submitted herewith.
2. ☒ A timely response to the final rejection is filed concurrently herewith.
3. ☒ A fee in the amount of \$250.00 (small entity status) is required. Please charge the required fee to Winston & Strawn LLP Deposit Account No. 50-1814.

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Respectfully submitted,


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